Town of Bar Harbor: Covid Update

Mask. Distance. Wash Hands. Repeat.

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Public Vaccination

Vaccination Eligibility by Age:

Only Maine residents who are 50 years old and over are eligible to receive a vaccine in Maine at this time.

https://www.maine.gov/covid19/vaccines/vaccination-sites

On April 19: Age 16 and older will be eligible and can now "pre-register" for a vaccine.

Pre-register for a COVID-19 vaccine appointment

Maine Center for Disease Control

- The Maine CDC has a detailed explanation of who will get vaccines and when, <u>click here</u> for a detailed explanation.
- https://www.maine.gov/covid19/vaccines/dashboard details the dissemination of the Covid 19 vaccine in Maine.
 - The State of Maine has delivered 623,388 doses of the vaccine to Mainers.
 - 387,648 first doses
 - 235,740 final doses (17.54% of the Maine population)

Covid Transmission Update

- MDI Hospital confirmed 86 positive tests to-date
 - 78 Hancock County Residents
 - 8 Other (non-residents)
- As of today 3/25/21 Maine CDC has confirmed 1012 positive cases to-date in Hancock County.

- 3/18 976 positive cases
- 3/11 954 positive cases
- 3/4 925 positive cases
- 2/25 888 positive cases
- 1/28 766 positive cases
- 12/31 550 positive cases
- 11/26 235 positive cases
- The current case rate for Hancock County is 184.6 per 10k people
- The current case rate for the State of Maine is 367.5 per 10k people

MDI Hospital

MDI Hospital Coronavirus Call Center: If you are having symptoms or think you may have been exposed to COVID-19, call your primary care provider. If you do not have one, reach out to our Coronavirus Call Center at 207-801-5900. Calling ahead helps our dedicated health care professionals provide the best possible care and protects those in our community who are most vulnerable. Remember: PLEASE CALL AHEAD

3/24 MDI Hospital COVID-19 Vaccination Update: There have been 4,671 cumulative doses administered: 2.977 first doses and 1.694 second doses.

MDI Hospital is now accepting pre-registration for all community members who qualify to receive the COVID-19 vaccination in the State of Maine on our website: https://www.mdihospital.org/covid-19-vaccine/

Public Safety & Municipal News

- The next regular <u>Town Council</u> meeting will be held on April 6th at 5pm and can be viewed on Spectrum Cable channels 7 and 1303 and also live streamed on <u>Townhallstreams.com</u>
- Town Meeting will be held on June 1st, 6pm at the Conners Emerson Gymnasium located at 11 Eagle Lake Rd. Bar Harbor, ME 04609

School Information: Conners Emerson & MDI High School

- School Emails and Websites
 - http://www.mdirss.org/
- MDIHS Chalk Talk
- CES TIGER TALK

Government News & Mandates

Governor Mills: Latest Updates:

- Maine DHHS Urges People to Take Advantage of New Health Care Savings and Extra Time to Sign Up for Coverage
- Despite Market Challenges, Maine Harvesters Earn Ninth Highest Value on Record
- Governor Mills Announces Acceleration of Maine's COVID-19 Vaccination Timeline
- Governor Janet Mills Orders Flags Lowered in Honor of Atlanta Metropolitan Area Victims
- Governor Mills Announces Extension of State Income Tax Deadline to May 17, 2021
- Governor Mills Signs Bipartisan Supplemental Budget Supporting Maine Businesses & Workers Into Law

Other Government Resources:

- CDC Guidelines
- Maine CDC
- <u>Maine DECD Website</u> Prevention Checklists and information on gathering size and occupancy

Bar Harbor Chamber of Commerce

If you have ideas that would help Bar Harbor businesses during this time, please email concepts to Chamber Director Alf Anderson: alf@barharborinfo.com

https://www.visitbarharbor.com/member-center-coronavirus-resources

Community Resources

Healthy Acadia Newsletter: 3/23